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Circuit Court at Stanton.

Circuit Court at Stanton Monday, with Judge Shackelford on the bench and Commonwealth's Attorney, B. A. Crutcher, prosecuting. A good crowd was present and every juror whose name was called responded, showing that the Judge's action in fining some of the boys for not responding to jury summons at a former session of court, had the desired effect.

Judge Shackelford's charge to the grand jury was a strong one. He dealt very forcibly upon the offenses of the illegal sale of liquor and the carrying concealed deadly weapons. The talk did us good and we do hope to see his strong charges in these matters have its effect.

Judge Shackelford is growing in popularity in this county where he has always been a favorite with the few who have known him in his county for several years. Aren't we glad Powell was retained in the 25th District instead of being shuffled about by the last Legislature, as seemed imminent at one time last winter.

Attorneys J. B. White, of Irvine, and C. F. Spencer, of Winchester, were visiting attorneys at the bar.

This Looks Like a Refinery.

Directors of the Standard Oil Company of Kentucky, at a recent meeting, decided to construct in Louisville an oil refinery, with an output of 500,000 barrels annually. The plant will employ about 200 workmen and will be built on the property now owned by that company near the State Fair grounds, on the river bank. This property comprises 336 acres.

The work of erection will be pushed as rapidly as possible. Some delay, however, is expected because of the acute situation in the steel industry. The steel mills are working overtime and the company will be unable to secure the metal as rapidly as it wishes. Definite orders for steel before 1918 are not now accepted.

Kills the Largest Hogs.

'Squire John A. Sewell last week killed the prize hogs of the county when he slaughtered two weighing fully 550 pounds each, according to fair estimates placed on them by persons who saw them before they were killed. These hogs had no special breeding to make them, being just common pigs picked up by the 'Squire. Their unusual growth and development was the outcome of the proper feeding and attention of Mr. Sewell, who decidedly is a good man to handle hogs for profit.

To Select Committeemen.

Saturday Democrats will meet at their respective voting places and select Committeemen to serve for the next four years. On Monday following these Committeemen will meet at Stanton and select a county chairman who will also serve for four years.

J. H. O'Rear is the present efficient county-chairman.

Bids on the Roads.

Bids on the construction work of the new dirt roads, advertised in the Times, were received and opened at Stanton, Monday. Five bidders competed with bids. The lowest bid was that of Meyers & Harris, of Covington. Their bid on twelve miles of road, exclusive of the corrugated iron pipe, totals \$26,519.12, or \$2,208 per mile. The iron pipe will cost at least \$100 per mile additional, which will bring the total cost of the earth road up to at least \$2,300 per mile.

The bids were made up on the following basis:

Removing trees over 12 inches in diameter, \$1.00 each;

Clearing and grubbing, \$60.00 per acre;

Earth excavation, 30 cents per cubic yard;

Rock excavation, \$1.00 per cubic yard;

Hauling and laying galvanized iron pipe, which the county must furnish extra:

12 inch pipe, 60 cents per ft.

18 " " 80 " " "

24 " " 90 " " "

Concrete work, Class A, \$10.00 per cubic yard;

Steel reinforcing, 6 cents per pound;

Crowning and shaping road, \$100.00 per mile.

Irvine Has Fire.

Early Saturday morning three buildings were burned in Irvine. The Williams bank building valued at \$3,000, with but \$1,200 in insurance, was one of the buildings consumed. The Lyric theatre came next, entailing a loss of \$5,000 upon its owner, Clyde Gaines. The city restaurant valued at \$6,000 was also burned to the ground. The fire originated in the restaurant. Contents of these buildings, combined with the cost of the buildings, which were framed, brings the total loss to about \$25,000. Most of this is covered by insurance. Irvine has no organized fire protection.

The Williams Bank is just completing a new three-story brick block, in which the bank expected to be able to move December 1st.

The burned district will be immediately rebuilt.

Mild Winter Predicted.

And now comes one prognosticator who says we are to have a mild winter. As this forecast is just the reverse of all others in former years, it is to be hoped that it will come to pass. It seems to be the custom of all the weather prophets to forecast nothing but bad winters and it is hopeful that the weather will change with the prognostications.

Fertilizer Plant for Lexington.

A commercial fertilizer plant is one of the new prospects for Lexington. It is claimed the plant will be built within sixty days and be ready to supply farmers with their plant food for spring crops.

Got the Money Ready.

At a meeting of the Fiscal Court of Estill county a few weeks ago, the court went on record agreeing to put \$500 when the people interested in good roads would subscribe \$2,000. With this amount of money the court could save the county's apportionment of \$2,600 from the State. The people about Irvine were but a little less than a day, it is said, in making up \$2,880, or \$880 more than necessary to save the State Aid money. This looks, to the Times, like getting roads, and it is to be hoped that other counties may emulate Estill's example.

Leases Roads for Oil.

The Estill Fiscal Court met in special session at Irvine Friday and leased a portion of the county roads in the oil districts to operators who will drill at once for oil. The court also adopted the Powell-Estill inter-county seat road by the way of Hargett, Kimbrell and Spout Spring to Plum creek. With thousands of barrels of oil to sell with which to build roads in Estill, and the Powell road already selected, it seems that the road from here to Irvine will be one of the first to go through to the mountain counties.

Thanksgiving.

Today is Thanksgiving day, the big turkey eating day. If only those persons who have turkey this time are expected to give thanks, the day will be scantily observed in and about these parts. When it comes to paying 20 cents per pound for any form of meat on foot, that's paying for your living sure, and if you are able to do it, you have unusual reasons for thanksgiving.

Estill Man Over.

James Winn, the popular county engineer, of Irvine, Estill county, was at Stanton Circuit Court Monday. Mr. Winn represents the Rocky River Development Company, of Cleveland, O., one of the largest oil concerns in the country. This company has many leases in this county, and Mr. Winn was over looking after them.

Powell Man Strikes it Rich.

Judge J. H. Hardwick, of this county, and John G. White, of Winchester, have brought in a hundred-barrel oil well near Cannel City, Morgan county, where they have several hundred acres of land leased. This well is close to the pipe line and as it now stands the lease holdings of Messrs. Hardwick and White are said to be worth \$300,000.

Moves to Crab Orchard.

Rev. Cleo Purvis has resigned the pastorate of the Christian church and moved to Crab Orchard, where he will take charge of a new church full time. He will, however, fill the remaining appointments of the year at Clay City. The church here had called Bro. Purvis for another year, and will very much regret to lose him.

STANTON.

(By P. O. Derthick.)

Circuit Court is in session this week.

Rev. J. C. Hanley was in Lexington last Friday.

Mrs. W. R. Catron visited her daughter in Montgomery county this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kelly and children of Virginia have been visiting with Henry Daniel.

Mrs. Margaret Oldham of Winchester is here, visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Evans.

George Derickson is quite sick with pneumonia. His sister Mamie is teaching his school for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Crowe have moved into the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tipton.

Charley Crowe and Gother Martin, who have been working at McRoberts for several months, arrived home Sunday night for a stay.

Mrs. R. D. Clark visited her daughter, Mrs. Myrtice Conlee of Richmond, last week, and returned with her grandchild, Alene, who will attend school here.

The new depot is all completed and looks mighty fine to us home people. It is a real credit to our town and we are proud of it. As soon as the furniture arrives Lennie Crowe will move into it.

We hope to have more news next week. Returning late from the Sunday School Conference at Johnson City, Tenn., and not being very well, we have not had an opportunity to gather up the news.

Miss Daisy Johnson invited her teachers, Misses Julia Evans, Alice Childs and Prof. J. H. Johnson, to spend Friday till Sunday at her fine country home at Tallega, and they all had a very enjoyable time.

The recital given by the music students of Miss Julia Evans, on last Thursday, was thoroughly enjoyed by those who went. Miss Evans' students are doing splendid work this year, and the recitals are looked forward to with pleasure.

Mrs. Lucile Davis returned to her home at Louisville after several days' visit with her many friends in town. Mrs. M. A. Phillips will return home Wednesday of this week. Their friends were glad to see them and have the good visit they have had.

Miss Mary Martin, accompanied by her brothers Kelly and Sterling, went to Winchester Monday where they stopped over night with Mrs. Lizzie Porter and then went on to Louisville where the two boys will be further operated on for their lip trouble.

A request has been to the writer that he speak of the cigarette smoking that takes place in the post-office at mail time. There are many girls and women in the office at this time and the smoking is very objectionable to them. We would kindly ask

A Busy Day for the Sheriff.

Monday was indeed a very busy day for Sheriff H. T. Derickson. Besides waiting upon the court, he was trying to accommodate the taxpayers of the county who were anxious to get their receipts before the penalty is attached December 1st., which is tomorrow. Most taxpayers had put off paying their tax to so late, hoping that something might turn up that the road tax might be yet evaded. Most every one paying on this date was paying the bond issue tax over protest that this part of their tax might be recovered if the bond issue is declared invalid.

Vital Statistics.

The preliminary report of the State Board of Health for October shows a total of 1,876 deaths, both white and colored, in the State. Of this number, 202 died from tuberculosis of the lungs, 127 from pneumonia; 57 children died from diphtheria; 74 from typhoid fever; 82 from cancer; 10 from pellagra; 3 from infantile paralysis, and 113 from violence. None from hookworm. Six per cent. of all the deaths were from violence. Is it not time to put a check on this unnecessary heavy toll of death?

Clay City Wins.

The Stanton basket ball team came down Saturday and matched skill with the Clay City team, and were defeated by the score of 26 to 7. The line-up was as follows:

Stanton	Clay City
Watson	r f..... E. Searles
Wells l f..... Kennon
Brashear c..... Burgher
Bohannon r g..... J. Searles
Blackburn l g..... Martin

The features of the game were the passing of Searles and Martin of Clay City, and the center play of Brashear, of Stanton.

Moves to Dayton.

Mr. A. M. Burgher and family left the last of the week for Dayton, Ohio, where he has a most paying and responsible position with the Platt Iron & Steel Works.

Appointed Administratrix.

Mrs. Phillips widow of the deceased, Dock Phillips, was appointed administratrix of her husband's estate by the County Court, at Stanton, Monday.

Going Still Higher.

Out of sympathy with wheat products, corn is now \$4.00 per barrel in most parts of the State, and is going still higher, it is claimed.

the young men not to smoke in the building. And this would also apply to the depot. Many women do not go inside the depot to wait for a train on account of the crowd of young men in there smoking. One young woman from the country came over to the home of the writer Monday night rather than wait at the depot for the train. This has occurred quite often. We are sure if our boys would look at this in the right light they would refrain from smoking in these two places.

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A HOME-MADE PAPER.

THURSDAY, NOV. 30, 1916.

The ways are now being greased for the launching of the movement for the readjustment of postal rates in the next session of Congress. This problem was to have been taken up in the last session but had to be deferred on account of the consideration required by railway mail pay. Since this has been disposed of the committees are prepared to take up the matter of placing the various postal rates on a more equitable basis.

A zone system of rates for second class matter is being prominently urged to take the place of the present flat rate which was adopted nearly forty years ago. The present rate has for some time been regarded as a discrimination against the newspapers in favor of the great national magazines. Like the parcel post the proposed zone rates would be based on the length of the haul.

The postal committees have been besieged by petitions bearing millions of names and several hundred thousand letters from individuals urging a readjustment of postal rates with a view of making possible one-cent letter postage. A survey of the situation indicates that sufficient changes will be made in the various rates to permit the granting of a 1-cent rate on local delivery letters in the next session of Congress.

There are more automobiles in Kansas than in any other State. Kansas is prohibition and women vote there too. If we could get everybody in Kentucky who does not own an auto to believe that women votes and prohibition would get them a machine, Kentucky would soon get right on these questions, like Kansas has done. And by the way, Kansas went for Wilson too. The sooner every body learns there is nothing in politics, the better it will be for the common people. This is what Kansans have found out. They vote there now for themselves and not the politicians, and they are reaping their reward.

Kentucky is threatened with another attack of Legislature this winter. If there is anything this State needs worse than rest from Legislative meetings, we do not know what it is. If it were possible to undo some of the bad things already done, we would be for it, but it will only be another dose of the same.

Sportsmen report a very short crop of birds this season. The rabbit, as usual in the fall, is everywhere. He makes the meat platter full on many a poor man's table, now that hog meat has become so high under this continued Wilson administration.

Dealers are claiming that shoes are most likely to go to \$20 the pair soon. Well we used to go barefoot and liked it too. We guess we can do it again if we have to.

Money in Buckwheat.

Many Powell county farmers do not know what buckwheat is when they see it growing, but Pulaski farmers this year raised and marketed 70,000 bushels of this cereal, which netted them \$1.25 per bushel. Buckwheat does best when sown about July 1st or at a time after winter wheat is cut from the ground. The yield is about the same per acre as the flour wheat. Buckwheat graham is about the best eating one can get when you have plenty of maple syrup in the Spring. It is also fine for bees when in bloom. It takes but about 70 days after sowing until it can be harvested.

High Paper Prices.

We have just received a fresh supply of paper and the prices for same are "out o' sight." It is enough to scare the average country newspaper editor "to death" it would seem. We regret that circumstances are such but we cannot help it. In addition to the increased subscription rates we are compelled to increase the price of our job work in proportion to the advance of paper. We have tried to live at the old prices but we positively cannot.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR (Consecration Meeting.)

Sunday Evening, December 3rd, 1916.
Subject: The Consecration of Business Life.

Lesson: Rev. 3:14-22.

Leader: Mrs. Carrie Groves.

Beginning on the above date and continuing hereafter, the Junior Endeavorers will conduct their meetings in connection with the Senior Endeavorers. All members are urged to be present and take part in this meeting.

Special song by the Juniors.

Creditors' Notice.

All persons holding claims against the estate of J. F. Martin, Sr., will file the same properly proven with the administrator on or before the 1st day of Jan., 1917.

D. W. Martin, Admr.,
Rosslyn, Ky.

SPOUT SPRING

Joe McKinney has resigned his position with an oil operator on the mountain, and returned home



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then—
Take it
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Never sold in bulk.
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Our Fall and Winter Goods are now in. We invite you to call and see them and get our prices. We handle up-to-date and good Merchandise, and at prices that will save you money. It is our aim to carry as near as possible every thing the people want. It will pay you to call when in need of any thing in dry goods, notions, clothing, women's misses and children's short and long coats, ready-to-wear hats, sweaters and rain coats, women's corduroy skirts, men's and boys' hats, rubber footwear for all, men's and boys' dress, corduroy and cheap work pants, corduroy suits, sweaters, raincoats, hunting coats, also tables, chairs, safes, beds, springs, mattresses, blankets, comforts, cots, trunks, suit cases, grips, oil carpets, sewing machines, saddles, harness, hardware, queensware, groceries, Bain wagons, Studebaker wagons.

We handle Queen Quality shoes for women, Walk-Over shoes for men, Stetson and Astor brand hats, Hart, Schaffner and Marx and Matchless brand clothing, Arrow brand shirts and collars.

If you believe in buying up-to-date goods and learning where you can get the most for your money, try us.

Hardwick & Co., STANTON.

suffering with some severe boils on a hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIntosh spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Puckett, parents of Mrs. McIntosh, on Calloway's Creek.

Hickman, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Patrick, reported last week in this letter as having such a bad attack of diphtheria, is much improved, being now considered out of danger.

WANTED!

The Carola Cabinet Phonograph is now ready for the dealers—the only cabinet phonograph to reach the people at \$15. Marvelous in beauty, wonderful in tone. Selling agents in every town wanted. Write for our descriptive literature. The Kentucky State Distributing Co., Incorporated, Sole Distributors for the State of Kentucky, 302 Tyler Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Cardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Cardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Cardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill."

I wish every suffering woman would give

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

a trial. I still use Cardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."

Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Cardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

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New Remedy Restores Zest of
Life and Renews Ambition.

HEALTH EXPERT TELLS HOW

Run Down Condition Usually Due to
Rapid Eating or Overeating, Says
Man Who Has Set Many Tongues
Wagging With Original Ideas.
Thousands Just Half Sick.

"Thousands of persons drag along
from morning until night without en-
ergy or ambition. They are not sick
enough to go to bed, but they lack
the zest of life. They are just half
sick."

Such was the statement of the Tan-
lac health expert, who has created
widespread comment by his original
ideas. He continued:

"You can't have good health if you
have poor digestion."

Too Many Bolt Food.

"The stomach is the most important
organ in the body and the most abused.
The large majority of people do not
take sufficient time to eat their food.
They give no thought to what foods
are good for them. They simply swal-
low what is convenient and pleasant."

"The stomach tells quickly when it
is abused through overeating or other
mistreatment. When it warns, take
instant heed or dire results will follow.
A disordered stomach brings on
headaches. It causes constipation,
biliousness, indigestion, nervous dis-
orders and other ills."

Tanlac Most Successful.

"Tanlac is the most successful reme-
dy for stomach ills on the market to-
day. It is composed of roots, barks,
herbs and berries gathered in all parts
of the world. By its composition it is
designed to build strength, create
better digestion and more blood, and
to strengthen the nervous system
through correction of the common dis-
orders of the stomach, liver and mu-
cous membranes. The testimony of
your neighbors all around you bears
out that it has accomplished this."

Tanlac, the master medicine
and reconstructive tonic, is sold
exclusively in CLAY CITY by Eaton
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Bowen, Day and King; College
Hill, Ginter Bros.; Torrent,
J. Taylor Day; Irvine, Irvine
Drug Co.; Genet, Genet Cash
Store; Waltersville, Henry Wal-
dron, and Beattyville, Thomas
Pryse.

Notice to Hunters.

All persons are hereby notified
that no hunting will be allowed
upon the lands of the undersigned.

John Scott,
E. D. Curtis,
Edwin Rose,
J. E. Burgher.

Additional names added to above
for 25 cents each.

Printed cards "POSTED", two
for five cents.

A Clogged System Must Be Cleared.

You will find Dr. King's New
Life Pills a gentle yet effective lax-
ative for removing impurities from
the system. Accumulated waste
poisons the blood; dizziness, bili-
ousness and pimply, muddy com-
plexion are the distressing effects.
A dose of Dr. King's New Life
Pills to-night will assure you a
free, full bowel movement in the
morning. At your Druggist, 25c. adv.

WHEN YOU WANT
A SHAVE OR HAIR CUT
OR ANY
TONSorial WORK
CALL ON
H. H. PHERIGO.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE BEGINS RAILWAY INQUIRY

Proposed by President to Bet-
ter Condition of Carriers.

MAY CHANGE PRESENT SYSTEM

Officials of Roads Prepared to Advocate
Federal Incorporation, Supervision of
Securities and Extension of Authority
of Interstate Commerce Commission.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Ten members
of Congress, five Senators and five
members of the House of Representa-
tives, began here today an inquiry into
the subject of public control and su-
pervision of railroads that may lead to
the revolutionizing of the whole scheme
of governmental regulation of the coun-
try's transportation lines. Incidentally
the committee is to look into the ques-
tion of government ownership of rail-
ways, telephone and telegraph lines
and express companies.

The members of the committee
which will conduct this important in-
vestigation are Senator Newlands of
Nevada, chairman; Senators Robinson
of Arkansas, Underwood of Alabama,
Cummins of Iowa and Brandegee of
Connecticut, and Representatives Ad-
ams of Georgia, Sims of Tennessee,
Cullip of Indiana, Esch of Wisconsin
and Hamilton of Michigan. The in-
quiry was recommended by President
Wilson in his message to Congress in
December of last year. He described
as its purpose to determine what could
be done "for bettering the conditions
under which the railroads are operated
and for making them more useful serv-
ants of the country as a whole."

Prominent Men as Witnesses.

In order to obtain the views of all
interests affected by the operations of
the transportation lines the committee
has invited prominent shippers, bark-
ers, representatives of commercial or-
ganizations, railway executives, econo-
mists and others to appear before them.

The first to be heard are railroad
commissioners of various states who
began their evidence today. Their
testimony is directed chiefly to oppos-
ing any enlargement of the federal
authority over commerce that would
detract from the powers now exercised
by state bodies. They will be followed
shortly by officials of railway labor
organizations who are expected to re-
gister their opposition to the increase
of governmental authority over wages
and conditions of labor.

Chief interest in the hearings cen-
ters in the proposals that will be put
forward by representatives of the rail-
roads, for it is reported that they will
advocate an extension of federal au-
thority over rates and securities to the
practical exclusion of state control of
these matters. It is understood also that
they will go on record in favor of fed-
eral incorporation of all railroad lines.

Legislative Program of Railroads.

From an authoritative source is ob-
tained the following outline of the leg-
islative program which the railroads
will ask the committee to consider in
its investigation: They will endeavor
to demonstrate to the commission that
one of the principal defects in the present
system of railroad regulation is the
lack of coordination resulting from the
simultaneous and conflicting regula-
tion by the federal government and by
the 48 states. They will, therefore,
ask that entire governmental control
of the rates and practices of interstate
carriers, except purely local matters,
be placed in the hands of a federal
body so that interstate traffic may be
regulated without reference to state
lines, leaving to the state commissions
jurisdiction only over local matters and
local public utilities. As a part of this
plan, a compulsory system of federal
incorporation is to be recommended,
accompanied by federal supervision of
railroad stock and bond issues.

A reorganization of the Interstate
Commerce Commission will be asked,
in order to enable the commission prop-
erly to exercise its increased powers.
It is also proposed that the preparation
and prosecution of cases against the
railroads shall be delegated to some
other agency of the government, possi-
bly the Department of Justice, so that
the commission may devote its en-
ergies to its administrative functions.

With the commission thus relieved
of some of its present duties and equip-
ped to handle its business more prompt-
ly, the railroads will urge that the pe-
riod during which the commission may
now suspend proposed increases in
rates be reduced from ten months to
60 days, with provision for reparation
to be paid to the shippers if the ad-
vance shall be declared unreasonable.

They will also ask that the commis-
sion be given the power to prescribe

minimum as well as maximum rates
so that in meeting complaints of dis-
crimination the commission may order
the advance of a rate which it consid-
ers too low.

One of the most important recom-
mendations for which the railroads
will ask favorable consideration "is
that the commission be specifically
authorized to take into account in
rate regulation the effect of rates
upon total earnings in the light of ex-
penses."

While the Newlands Committee is
required, under the resolution creat-
ing it, to submit a report by January
2 next, it is not anticipated that the
Committee will have come anywhere
near completing its labors then.

It Pays to Raise the Best.

Col. Frank O. Lowden of Ore-
gon, Illinois, in a recent inter-
view threw an interesting light
on his interests when he said he
once owned a short-horn bull
that had won blue ribbons
throughout the United States and
that he regarded the raising of
this animal as one of the achieve-
ments of his life.

"The breeding of good live
stock is my hobby. I am, there-
fore, deeply interested in the
farm animals of the United
States. It costs no more to raise
good live stock, which will give
better returns when marketed,
than it does to raise a scrub, and
the scrub must go."

"Live stock production is not
keeping pace with the increase
of population in United States,
and henceforth intensive use of
productive capacity must be re-
lied upon to supply the increased
needs of this increase of popula-
tion."

"Some of my most satisfying
holidays have been my visits to
the International Live Stock Ex-
position, held the first week in
December, in Chicago. Sixteen
years ago this Exposition was
born of a great necessity and it
is to-day the leading exponent of
the movement for the improve-
ment of the domestic farm ani-
mals of the United States, and
its splendid work of raising the
standards in the breeding of
better cattle, hogs, sheep and
horses is everywhere evident. It
reaches great object lessons
which no one interested in live
stock and agriculture can afford
to miss, and is deserving of the
hearty support and patronage of
the American agriculturist."



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and healthy.

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general store; or if your druggist can't
supply you, send his name and 25c.
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nominational Bodies.

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church edifices reported in 1906, ac-
cording to the census bulletin of Au-
gust 20, 1909, was 58,536,830, an in-
crease over 1890 of 14,976,767, or
34.4 per cent. The seating capacity
reported for the Protestant bodies
was 53,282,445; for the Roman Cath-
olic church, 4,494,377; and for the
remaining bodies, 760,008. The rate
of increase was practically the same
for both Protestants and the Ro-
man Catholics, being 33.6 per cent
for the former and 33.3 per cent for
the latter. The increase in the seat-
ing capacity of the churches has kept
pace with the increase in population,
the seating capacity being 69.2 per
cent of the population in 1890, com-
pared with 69.5 per cent in 1906.
The average seating capacity per or-
ganization for the Protestant bodies
taken together was 317, and for the
Roman Catholic church, 436. With
the single exception of the Roman
Catholic church all the denomina-
tions showed an average seating
capacity much in excess of the
average membership. For the Prot-
estant bodies the average seating ca-
pacity was three times the average
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They can get no cars to ship out coal from these mines, notwithstanding the fact hundreds of cars of coal go over the road weekly. Mr. Crabtree has been able to get but two cars to ship out coal, in the last three months while other mines have been getting hundreds of them. This is not fair, and shows another reason why the L. & N. should be made to give up the L. & E. road, which would have no interest or combine with the large miners to choke out the small ones.

Changes Hands.

The Kentucky Magazine will be taken over by a stock company January 1, and begin issuing the periodical regularly from that date. In consummating this deal no issue of the magazine will be put out in December. An office has been opened in Mt. Sterling.

No More Backache for Her.

Mrs. J. M. Gaskill, Etna Green Ind., writes: "I suffered from severe backache, and sharp pains shooting through my back until I could not stoop over and get up without aid. Urinary trouble seemed to be the cause of it all. A single box of Foley Kidney Pills gave me such relief that I cannot praise them too highly." This standard remedy for kidney and bladder ailments can be taken with safety for backache, swollen ankles, and rheumatic pains. Sold everywhere.

Albert Skidmore, one of the wealthiest citizens of Montgomery county, and among the best known, died suddenly while loading hay. He was about 80 years old and a veteran of the Union army in the Civil War.

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Local Brevities

Charlie Mapel, of Irvine, is a business visitor in the city.

Mrs. B. S. Thomas, of Dayton, Ohio, has returned from a visit to relatives near the city.

Roscoe Bowman has returned home from Arcala, Ill. where he has been for several months.

We can do very well even without turkey this Thanksgiving now that we don't have any crow to eat.

Mack Potts returned to his home at Dayton, Ohio, Tuesday, after a few days' visit with relatives at Waltersville.

Dr. J. E. Goodwin will be in his office at Clay City Dec. 5th and remain two weeks. Those desiring dental services please come in at once.

Quite a number of hogs have been butchered in the past two weeks on account of the favorable weather and the high price of corn being fed to them.

C. C. Daniel attended court at Winchester Monday and while there purchased twenty-one 550-pound steers. Mr. Daniel reports that all cattle were bringing good prices.

The County Road Engineers Association will hold their meeting this year at Bowling Green, Jan. 17, 18, 19 and 20, and every engineer in the State should attend this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Whitt and son and Mrs. Groves, left yesterday afternoon, by auto, for Lexington, where a 40-pound Thanksgiving turkey awaits their attention at dinner to-day in the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Hall.

Rheumatism Follows Exposure.

In the rain all day is generally followed by painful twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Sloan's Liniment will give you quick relief and prevent the twinges from becoming torture. It quickly penetrates without rubbing and soothes the sore and aching joints. For sore, stiff, exhausted muscles that ache and throb from overwork, Sloan's Liniment affords quick relief. Bruises, sprains and other minor injuries to children are quickly soothed by Sloan's Liniment. Get a bottle to-day at your Druggist, 25c. Adv.

Kentucky's Population.

The population of Kentucky on Jan. 1st, 1917, will be 2,886,866, according to estimate made by the census bureau, an estimate based upon the increase as shown by the federal censuses of 1900 and 1910. On Jan. 1st, 1916 Kentucky's population was estimated to be 2,872,412, and on July 1st, 2,879,639. These figures show a healthy growth of the State's population.

Changing Seasons Bring Colds.

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High Prices Hit a Jolt

The high cost of living has been given a serious setback this week on account of a system of boycotting and threatened proceedings against food storage concerns. Eggs have gone down, turkeys have dropped in price and wheat is off in price. The farmer having disposed of the majority of these products is lightly affected.

Beautiful Calendar.

The publishers of The Youth's Companion are presenting, as always at this season, to every subscriber whose subscription is paid for 1917, a calendar for the new year. It is decidedly unusual, and strikingly artistic. The colors are well chosen and richly blended. It was made primarily, however, for actual use, and is well named the Practical Home Calendar.

"Great oaks from little acorns grow." Heed this lesson and save the pennies.

Creditors' Notice.

All creditors of the estate of Thos. Welch will file their claims properly proven before the administrator on or before 1st of Jan., 1917.

P. W. Welch, Admr., Stanton, Ky.